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HIS CHRISTMAS CARD: Henry Kuhn 3220 Ravine drive, St. Joseph, stands in front of huge "Christmas card", the type of display he has been making at Gast Manufacturing company plants since 1941. Kuhn, 79,

retired from Gast in 1962. He started in sales with the firm in 1938 and was purchasing agent when he retired. This year's display is "altogether new" and it took him four and one-half months to complete. It is in the em-

ploye's meeting room at the Gast plant in Benton township.. The huge mantelpiece and fireplace are the main features of the display, flanked by two pictures that tell a story of three boys who say they are going to

go to work at Gast while the other picture completes the story with the statement "We will reward you with the home of your dreams." (Staff photo by Harry Smith)

Big Quake Hits Nicaragua

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala (AP) - A strong earthquake struck Managua, Nicaragua, early today, reportedly causing extensive damage in the center of that Central American city. First reports indicated there were many homeless, injured and dead

All normal communications between Managua and the outside were cut by the quake which struck at 12:40 a.m. - 1:40 a.m. EST - but reports reaching Guatemala City from amateur radio operators in Managua indicated damage was very heavy and that Managua was without water and elec-

Planes with relief supplies, medicine and doctors were being prepared in Guatemala, El Salvador and Venezuela, but one radio operator, transmitting from a mobile unit in the center of Managua, said the interruption in electrical service had out

navigation equipment at the Managua airport out of operation. Highways leading to Managua reportedly were closed, and the only means of transportation to the city was by helicopter.

In Washington, the U.S. State Department said its embassy in Managua had been destroyed, one-third of the city was in

flames and most of the hospitals had been leveled. A State Department spokesman in Washington said its information was based on a message from the Nicaraguan gov-

One of the ham radio reports reaching Guatemala City said the Nicaraguan Central Bank an 18-story building, also was heavily damaged.

Two 'Courteous' Brothers Charged With Kidnaping

young bride of six weeks says that her kidnapers tried to comfort her and told her several times that "everything is going to be all right.'

They were courteous

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) - A der the circumstances," said News, Joe M. Dealey Sr. Alice Amanda "Mandy" Deal-

Two brothers from suburban

ey, the 22-year-old, blue-eyed, Garland were arrested Friday blonde daughter of industrialist and charged under Texas kid-Charles M. Mayhew and naping laws shortly after \$250,daughter-in-law of the 000 in ransom had been publisher of the Dallas Morning dropped off at a designated

FBI agents who arrested Woodrow Holmes Ransonette, 31, and Franklin Joseph Ransonette, 33, said the two men were busily counting a large amount of money when taken into custody at their apartment.

The Ransonette brothers were held in the Dallas County jail Friday night in lieu of bonds of \$100,000 each.

The FBI said the ransom money was recovered,

"They kept asking me if there was anything I needed," Mrs. Dealey said. "The house, or duplex, they took me to was cold. They brought in an electric heater and an electric blanket for me."

She said that, during the 60hour ordeal after two men abducted her Tuesday from the parking area of her apartment (See back page, sec. 1, col. 8)

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Rent snowmobile, Paw Paw Golf.

Dotty's Chapeaux open nites til 9 & Sun. 1 to 5. Adv.



RANSOM MONEY: A law officer carries sack of ransom money from apartment complex in Garland, Tex., a Dallas suburb, where two men were arrested and charged with the kidnaping of Mrs. Joe M. Dealey, Jr. Friday. Mrs. Dealey was kidnaped near her Dallas home Tuesday and was released Friday after a ransom of \$250,000 was paid by her father-in-law, Joe M. Dealey, Sr. (AP Wirephoto)

U.S. Bomb Kills Giap

--Saigon

SAIGON (AP) - North Viet- and other cities may be destroyed, but the Vietnamese people will not be intimidated. namese officials denied a South Vietnamese report today that Defense Minister Vo Nguyen Giap was killed in Haiphong, where U.S. warplanes continned to mount the biggest aerial blitz of the war.
A statement by Hanoi's dele-

ples' hatred and the higher gation to the Paris peace talks. said: "Here, we do not deem it necessary to take the trouble to show that this is a product of the psychological war of the Americans-puppets."

A North Vietnamese official said this was a formal denial that Gian had been killed Friday, reportedly by a delayed mine while on an inspection tour of bombing damage at the Tran Hung Dao armaments de-

South Vietnamese telligence sources said the report of Giap's death was picked up from a radio broadcast monitored in Saigon, but there was no separate evidence to support it. U.S. officials said they had no knowledge of the report, and no other details were available.

Giap, 60, led the Viet Minh to victory over the French in the first Indochina war and has been the principal architect of the North Vietnamese effort in the current war.

He was quoted earlier as saying of the current U.S. bombing drive: "Hanoi and Haiphong



Nothing is more precious than

independence and freedom. The more barbarous and trea-cherous the U.S. imperialists,

the deeper the Vietnamese peo-

their determination to resist

the aggressors and save the

mounted to record numbers as

U.S. planes continued to mount

Meanwhile, air losses

country

VO NGUYEN GIAP Killed by bomb?

Notice

This newspaper will not publish Monday, Dec. 25, Christmas Day.

Ritter's Restaurant closed Sun. & Mon. Dec. 24 & 23.

ACCUSED KIDNAPERS: Two men accused and identified by the FBI as kidnapers of Mrs. Joe M. Dealey, Jr., of Dallas, Tex., are shown as they were escorted into the Dallas County Courthouse after their arrest in suburban Garland, Tex., Friday. The men, Franklin Joseph Ransonette, 33, lower photo, and his brother, Woodrow Holmes Ransonette, 31, are shown in Dallas, Tex., Friday. (AP Wirephoto)

Truman Lapses Into Critical Condition

a half.

KANSAS CITY (AP) - Former president Harry S. Truman lapsed into critical condition at 7:45 a.m. EST today and his family has been notified, a spokesman for Research Hospital and Medical Center an-

The spokesman, Wayne Conery, attributed the change from the former listing of "very serious" to heart problems.

into unconsciousness, but said he did not know whether doctors considered Truman to be in a coma. Parametrico de composições de composições de la composiçõe de la composiçõ

Doctors said this was similar to the situation Friday morning when he lapsed

into critical condition for about an hour and

Earlier today, a hospital spokesman said

the 88-year-old former president had lapsed

THE HERALD-PRESS **Editorial Page**

W. J. Banyon, Editor and Publisher

Christmas Is The Day That Calls People Home

And it came to pass in those days, that there went out a decree from Caesar Augustus, that all the world should be taxed . . . And all went to be taxed, every one into his own city. And Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth, into Judea, unto the city of David, which is called Bethlehem; because he was of the house and lineage of David: To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child. And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were ac-complished that she should be delivered. And she brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.

Luke 2:1-7

By THE REV. DAVID POLING

The thoughts and memories of Christmas may be the most powerful force that we can experience. For Christians, it is a blend of gospel accounts describing the Coming of Christ. And for the individual, it draws together the joys and comfort of childhood, family, and home. And in a hectic, ever-changing culture, this counts for much.

In her classic, "Death Comes for the Archbishop" Willa Cather vividly describes the missionary efforts of Bishop Jean Lamy in the great Southwest a century ago. In this vast, barsh, rugged land of mountain and desert, a dedicated Christian brought new vitality to an ancient region of North America. It was a tough, demanding vocation. Living on the edge of the wilderness in Santa Fe, Miss Cather describes the season which we now celebrate:

"It was late afternoon of Christmas which he bent with a thoughtul smile were not to go to Monsignori or to Archbishops,

or to the heads of religious houses - but to France, to Auvergne, to his own little town; to a certain grey winding street, paved with cobbles and shaded by tall chestnuts . . . "

For Bishop Lamy, and for many of us, Christmas calls us home. And if we cannot reach that place where life had its start, that fireside with young parents and favorite first-friends, we make a nostalgic journey that is not without its joys. There are some abroad who are ever putting down our polishing of memories, our treasuring of the past. Words like "sentimental," "memory," and "sentimental," "memory," and "childhood" seem absent from vocabulary, unless used in a derisive manner. Fortunately for all of us the memories of Christmas past race in with power and persuasion and comfort.

Christmas reminds us that the Christian experience had a beginning at a definite time and place. The source was a family, the condition, childbirth, the surroundings within a home. Here God chose to reveal Himself in Jesus Christ and to express that revelation in love. So with our own families. Here we first experienced love and caring, respect and forgiveness, hopes and dreams. This season calls us to research these beginnings and renew these visions of what life

When Albert Schweitzer was suffering a severe nervous depression, some say a mental breakdown after World War I, his physician in Switzerland urged him to reach back into childhood, to recall the happy days of his youth, to remember his loving parents and home - for here he would find, again, the strength, and support to overcome his present dif-

And he did, eventually publishing, "Memories of Childhood and Youth," Day, and the Bishop sat at his desk bringing happiness to thousands of writing letters. Since his return to Santa readers around the world and bringing Fe his official correspondence had been new life to himself. Christmus has that heavy; but the closely written sheets over power. And it brings joy to the whole

Rudolph' Is Ahead Of 'White Christmas'

According to ASCAP, the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, Irving Berlin's "White Christmas" has sold 91 million records thus far, an average of about five million

The song has also generated the sale of some five and a half million copies of sheet music, and is still good for 90,000 copies annually.

The Comstock Lode of all Christmas songs, however, is Johnny Marks' "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer," with 97 million record sales and six million copies of sheet music.

something called "Rockin' Around the the Range. Christmas Tree," which has sold five Seven s million discs.

thousand other Christmas songs that never made it. There are in fact, more than 5,000 songs on file with titles that include the word "Christmas."

For example, there are 14 songs entitled "Christmas Bells," The number named "Christmas Carol" exceeds 20. If you are moved by the tender thought that "Christmas Comes Once a Year," be required, that advised that nine song-writers in the ASCAP catalogue were similarly moved.

You can have "Christmas in California," or in Connecticus, Hawaii, Holland, Paris, Rio, Sicily, Switzerland and even "Christmas in Jail." Or "Christmas on Marks is also the perpetrator of the Farm" or on the Lone Prairie or on

Seven songs offer a "Christmas Lullaby" and there are half a dozen dif-No doubt about it, thar's gold in them thar chimneys. But for every "White" or "Rudolph" or "Rockin'," there are a "Christmas Is for the Birds."

The Ultimate Diplomat

tradition of professional neutrality, has become something of a miniscule United Nations for nations when are not speaking

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Switzerland, which is proud of its long terms with one another. Some Swiss ambassadors are lucky to remember which hat they are wearing at a given time of day.

In Havana, Swiss Ambassador Silvio Masnata represents 10 other governments in dealings with the Cuban government, in addition to his own. All 10 have broken off diplomatic relations with the Castro regime, and use the good offices of Ambassador Masnata to act officially in any matter which pertains to their interests.

The United States is one of the 10. Masnata is the U.S. representative negotiating with Havana over an antihijacking agreement with Washington.

The Swiss represent 20 governments in 11 countries under "protective power" missions. The assignments are accepted only after the host government gives its approval. The Swiss neutrality is so well maintained, few requests are turned

This is a valuable service, one few other governments are prepared by temperament or tradition to handle.

Silent Night



GLANCING BACKWARDS

ATTORNEY NEEDED

– 1 Year Ago –

The Berrien county board of public works (BPW) yesterday voted to ask a Berrien Board of Commissioners' committee to consider obtaining regular legal counsel for BPW in its handling of millions of dollars in public works projects.

Members have long said they need legal counset who can follow the meeting-to-meeting Yesterday they sold 4,171 progress and offer expert souvenir copies of The Herald-

DID HE CUT

HIS PAY, TOO?

Indifference to community

No popular outery or surprise

statement of a local govern-

he did not have time to do his

elected job. Even when two

extra men were added to the

payroll to handle property assessment duties that one

man was elected to perform, no

necessary dollars coming to

pay these assessors. The taxpayers in St. Joseph Township are already paying a

part time supervisor a salary

"in excess of \$9,000." Supposedly, the duties of a

supervisor have traditionally

included the property assessment function. Will this

ipervisor then cut his salary

since he has cut his job responsibilities? If not, any

added payroll expenses must

inevitably be assumed by the

local taxpayer. Perhaps the

additional monies will come

from yet another resident tax authorized under recent state

Concerned taxpayers will

investigate the need for these

new positions and the source of the funds to pay the salaries. At the least, it seems the taxpayer

deserves more accountability

from elected officials entrusted

W. L. Muth

St. Joseph

Editor, "A New Year Thought."

A THOUGHT FOR

THE NEW YEAR

Dear Lord grant us this year

a wider view so we can see

other's faults through the eye of

cause us to fret. Freely

forgiving for some offense

offering a friendly helping

hand, and trying in all ways to

understand that all of us whoever we are, arestrying to

reach an untouchable star. The

great, the small, the good and

Teach us to judge not with

faith so we can feel secure, trol," instead of remembering. Help said.

Teach us to judge not with Later, a gunman fired at a hasty tongues, neither the adult. British soldier in a Roman or young. Give us patience and Catholic area of the city but

us to forget the irritations that a search or anything like that."

bad are asking is life worth cral judge Friday,

nce to endure, and a stronger missed. "The man was on pa-

1810 N. Trafalgar Dr.

to represent a constituency.

legislation.

questions were asked.

advice on contracts, letters and resolutions for the millions of dollars of county-backed water and sewer project overseen by the BPW

> SEND FUND OVER TOP

-- 10 Years Agn --The St. Joseph Lions club has a new record to shoot at come

the time to hold its next Newsie sale for the Good Fellow Fund.

something in life every day that

I ask the Lord to let me grow

deeds toward my fellow man,

spread a little sunshine, for there's much room to share

love, gladness, instead of

spreading gloom and hatred. Please let Faith and Love

conquer fear. Let everything

THE SWEETEST

STORY EVER TOLD

world will receive him as the

When men reject the fact that

(See page 22, column D

Savior of mankind.

Bomb Rocks

Masonic Hall

BELFAST (AP) -

bombs rocked a Masonic half in

Belfast one minute after mid-

night, the time set for the be-

ginning of the Irish Republican Army's 72-hour cease-fire, but

no casualties were reported.

said. "He was not carrying out

Request Denied

DETROIT (AP)-Reputed

Detroit Mafia chieftan Vito (Billy Jack) Giacolone has been denied his request for a

Christmas furlough from a

Michigan prison farm by a fed-

an army spokesman

every heart.

Evelyn Armstrong

EDITOR'S MAILBAG

affairs appears to extend to in my life because I love the

arose from the public pleases me. Each day of my life

mental official indicating that older, thinking of doing good

The obvious and ominous that have breath thank the

question is from where are the Lord for a lovely year.

the 1958 previous high of \$1,810.86 by almost \$450. The Lions' roaring performance. plus \$1,467.99 received in daily contributions comes \$4,083.78.

Press for \$2,215.79. This beat

POUND JAPS BY AIR - 29 Years Ago -

Allied warplanes providing the action in the Pacific pending the next major hase of the offensive against the Japanese.

Enemy positions from China to the Solomons came under attack by bombers while American fighter planes shot down 16 Japanese aircraft in defense of the U.S. Sixth army's beachhead at Arawe, New Britain.

CHRISTMAS PARTY -39 Years Agu –

The answer is only in loving and giving. For only love brings peace of mind. I rejoice Herald-Press and Caldwell theater have joined even the ranks of the taxpayer. small pleasures of life. I find hands to invite Santa Claus with his great big pack to visit St. Joseph Saturday to entertain upwards of 500 boys and girls who might otherwise have Christmas joy.

> HOME FOR HOLIDAYS — 49 Years Ago —

Laurice Weber awrence Krieger are home from the University of Notre ame for the holdiays.

APPROPRIATE FUNDS — 59 Years Ago —

The city council has voted \$250 for the north side skating park and children's recreation The Sweetest story ever told ground. The appropriation was was the announcement of the made on request of the Rev. A. First Christmas. It was the H. Stoneman and Lloyd Clark, sweetest story ever told representing the committee in ciples proclaimed. The "good lidings of great joy" were to be

WINTER FUN -- 81 Years Ago -

W.P. Ward gave a sleighing

"to all people"; the "Light of the World" was to shine in party for members of Faith in Christ is more than a Sunday school class mere feeling. It is a power that moves to action, and should be

BERRY'S WORLD



"Thanks everybody! It's just what I needed—A BIG SMILE! MERRY CHRISTMAS."

Self (CIVE of COTTLE)

Soviet Ties Begin Pinching India



WASHINGTON (NEA) --Sources in New Delhi suggest rime Minister Gandhi is beginning to find India's association with Russia may be somewhat like riding on the back of a tiger. This discovery, they believe, is what is propelling Mrs. Gandhi toward rapproachement with the

The India-Russia friendship pact and Soviet backing for India in the war with Pakistan over Bangladesh were interpreted as a major victory for New Delhi, and insure that India would be by far the most powerful nation on the subcontinent, lower American influence in Southern Asia, make it possible for India to stand up to China.

Soviet aid, moreover, was to make India independent of the West and the United States in

particular.
Today Mrs. Gandhi is apparently discovering the Soviet Union wants a payoff.

One Soviet move and another leads to the conclusion Moscow now wants a strong say in how India develops economically. The Soviet leaders seemingly are attempting to get New Delhi to arrange things so that what India produces and what it consumes will mesh closely with Soviet production and Soviet needs. The Indians reportedly have already agreed to take Soviet economic needs into account when making national plans and the Russian's have promised to do the same. Some Indians in- sending wheat to India.

fluential in the Gandhi ruling group believe that the way ings are going, this could, in effect, make India an sconomic satellite of Moscow on the Eastern European model.

'The Russians also are reportedly impatient with the speed at which India is moving toward socialism. By this means and that, the Russians, it appears, are pushing for rapid and nationalization of India's sugar, textile and drugs and pharmaceuticals industries not the partial, piecemeal nationalization now apparently under way in some of these

What bothers the Indians particularly is that, when they resist Soviet pressures and seek to move on their own independent path, Moscow (if the Indians are accurate in their intelligence) stirs up the local Indian Communist groups, which then organize student unrest and anti-government agitation.

Some Indians have also pointed out to the Prime Minister that economic and technical ald from the Soviet Union is not all that it seems. At a time when Soviet technical experts are advising Indian rmers, Moscow is sending her own agricultural experts to the United States to learn from American farmers. Russia is buying wheat from the United States to meet Moscow's deficiencies at the samee time the U.S.S.R. is

. Marianne Mest

Mondale Has Yet 🎉 To Make Mark



WASHINGTON Why Walter Mondale? Since Election Day, Scn.

Mondale's name has appeared in nearly every private and public list speculating on 1976 Democratic Presidential possibilities. Sen. Hubert Humphrey, his Minnesota colleague, has enthusiastically described him as "the next Democratic Presidential nominee." Newspapers mention him as a Democratic hofshot; party professionals toss his name around as a possible alternative should Sen. Edward Kennedy not be

available.

Yet outside the small circle of those who are deeply interested in public affairs, hardly anybody knows whether Mondale is a butcher, a baker or a candlestick maker, A major newspaper bureau here has only three clippings about him in its library. He was elected this fall to only his second full term and by any reasonable criteria has yet to make his mark as a legislative

Name identification is the biggest problem of all aspiring politicians not blessed with a famous inherited family name or the exposure of a past national campaign. So why is Mondale, a virtual unknown, getting so much favorable attention from professionals?

First of all, his new stature reflects the mysterious process repetition. A few opinionmakers were impressed with his ability, surfaced his name as a young comer, and others picked it up.
Second, his competition is

eak. With the exception of talent resides either in officials who are well known but have already been around the track too many times, or in fresh faces even more obscure than

Third, he meets the surface criteria for a solid Democratic candidate. As a Middle Westerner, he is acceptable in all regions. He is liberal but not radical. He is okay with labor. He is youthful and articulate. And he is the latest in a long tradition of Minnesota superstars that has included Humphrey, Sen. Eugene McCarthy, and former Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman.

Sen. Birch Bayh, who has Presidential aspirations, once asked Sen. Frank Church, who is more coy about it but harbors similar hopes, how he could become better known. "Political accident," Church

sighed.
Mondale apparently wants to help the accident along. He has met with a series of advisers, both singly and in groups, to discuss ways in which he can beef up his national image. Minnesota businessman Paul Thatcher is organizing a committee to help underwrite an expanded travel schedule for Mondale, Former Undersecretary of State George Ball, now a lawyer specializing in international banking affairs, heads an informal group that will advise Mondale on foreign policy questions.

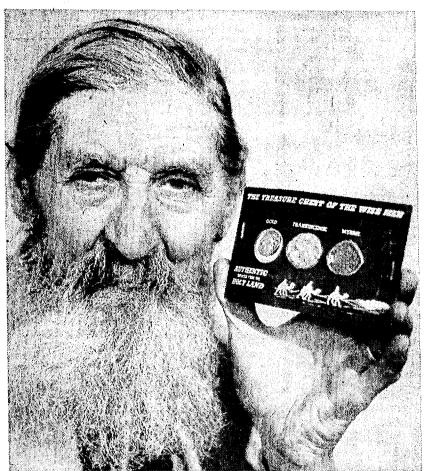
Mondale is also shaking up his office staff, adding two new legislative aides and bringing in Richard Moe, Minnesota Democrat-Farmer-Lahor Party chairman, as his new administrative aide.

the most basic of all motivating The destiny of nations is involved in the all important question of "What Think Ye of Christ?..." and in whether the

Two



Twin City



THE REAL THING: This card containing packets of gold, frankincense and myrrh arrived from the Holy Land just in time to help Samuel Sipes of the City of David have a more meaningful Christmas. Gold was carried to the Christ child as a symbol of his royalty; frankincense was a tribute to his divinity; and myrrh, still used as a medicine, represented the healing power of Christ. Sipes said he obtained the gifts of the Three Wise Men through the Holy Land Christian mission. (Staff photo)

N-P Good Fellow Fund **Closes With \$8,037.79**

Santa Claus closed the books today on another News-Palladium Good Fellow campaign. And what a success it's been.

A total of of \$8,037.79 received in contributions, and some 1,000 persons aided. The recipients ranged from nonagenarians to tots for whom there would be no Santa Claus if it weren't for the Good Fellow fund.

Contributions to the fund were more than \$500 above the goal. Eighty-nine dollars came in today.

Butler Estate Investments send \$50. The firm's founder the late Atty. Clarence Butler was an original Good Fellow Newsie way

Last week's Exchange club Newsie sale rang up an additional \$13 making its total \$3,810.77. Mr. and Mrs. William Gatchell gave \$10, and another \$10 came from United Steel Workers of America Local 6264 in memory of William L. Flaherty, Cuba Lee Cortson sent \$5 in memory of husband Louie Cortson and daughter Roxanne Cortson. And "Unanamus" send \$1.

"May your Christmas be joyous and blessed because of what you have done," Santa wished Good Fellows.



CALVIN C. WHEELER Earns Doctorate

Calvin Wheeler Earns Doctorate In Education

received a doctor of philosophy education for Benton Harbor degree in urban education from Area schools, 1966-70. He is a

manager to succeed Don games. Stewart who has announced intentions of resigning.

Dr. Wheeler was assistant

Brides Cost More. Too

PORT HARCOURT, Nigeria (AP) - Inflation is catching up with young lovers in this steamy West African

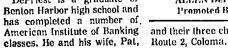
The bride price, which intending grooms must customarily pay the girl's parents, has soared to as high as \$1,200, according to one unhappy man.

DePriest Promoted By F&M

Prontotion of Allen DePriest to assistant cashier was announced today by Richard E. Willard, president of Farmers and Merchants National bank. Benton Harbor.

DePriest, 31, has been with F&M 14 years, advancing through various departments of the bank. He currently is manager of the Red Arrow

branch, east of Benton Harbor. DePriest is a graduate of Benton Harbor high school and





ALLEN DePRIEST Promoted By F&M

and their three children live at

Judge Orders BH To Pay Off **Pension Deficit**

Payment Of \$3.4 Million Bill Spread Over 40 Years

A Berrien circuit judge Friday declared a \$3.4 million deficit in the Benton Harbor police-fire pension fund and told the city how to pay it off.

Judge Chester J. Byrns ordered the city to annually pay the fund what pensioners are to receive that year plus \$33,191 annually over 40 years plus any additional sums not necessary to the city's essential well-being.

The city has been paying what pensioners are to receive annually and kicking in other nonessential sums, according to City Atty. Samuel Henderson. Now it must add in the \$33,191.

The \$3.4 million deficit means that the pension plan is under-funded by that amount because the city has not contributed enough to meet future obligations.

The court-ordered payment plan starts July 1, 1973, the start of the 1973-74 fiscal year.

Judge Byrns' hour and 15-minute ruling from the bench Friday ended a four-year-old dispute between police and firemen versus the city and pension board. Officers, in a class-action suit, claimed the city and pension board erroneously applied city charter provisions on pensions and underpaid pensioners; and that the pension fund was left with a deficit in violation of the state constitution.

Plaintiffs won Count I, which created \$656,000 of the \$3.4 million deficit. Judge Byrns' ruling of \$33,191 annual payments will wipe out the \$656,000 over a 40-year period.

The balance of his ruling is expected to continue annual payments to pensioners and ultimately-no one Friday was prepared to say in what future year—wipe out the deficit.

The \$3.4 million, in effect, is a promissory note plus 4 per cent interest from the city to the pension fund and officer retirees, according to City Atty, Samuel Henderson and the officers' counsel, St. Joseph

Anchigan State University's School of Secondary Education. Dr. Wheeler is among candidates under consideration for the post of Benton Harbor city manager to succeed Department. Former member of the Berrien county social services board. Dr. Wheeler was one of the originators and first chairman of the Berrien county CanAmer Extinguish. Car Blaze A four-year veteran of the U.S. Air Froce, Dr. Wheeler

community

was graduated from Hillsdale

college and received a master's

degree in education ad-

ministration from Western

Michigan university in 1971. Dr. Wheeler, 35, stated he

would like to return to the Twin

Hanoi Delegates

Boycott Meeting

PARIS (AP) - The North

Vietnamese delegates to the

technicians' meetings with the

United States walked out of a

scheduled session today after

reading a protest against the

They said the talks had been

bombing of North Vietnam.

postponed "till another day,"

ese statement.

according to a North Vietnam-

Cities area to live.

St. Joseph firemen Friday extinguished a fire in the front of seat of a car owned by Jim French, Mishawaka, Ind. Firemen said the blaze occurred at Niles and Hutchinson avenues as French was leaving the city. The front seat was destroyed in the fire, believed caused by a discarded

cigarette. Firemen Friday also were called to the Paul Metzing residence, 1808 Lakeview avenue, when vapor from a clothes dryer gave the appearance of smoke. Firemen praised the concern of an unidentified neighbor who reported "smoke," saying they would rather be called in such circumstances than too late for a real fire.

Atty. Thomas Fette. Pension plans normally are set up on an accrual method, but Benton Harbor is paying its police-fire pension off on a cash flow method, Henderson added.

The judge and attorneys for Byrns added. both sides indicated they were pleased with the conduct of the case and Friday ruling.

· Judge Byrns indicated he make a \$3.4 million lump-sum payment to the fund but financial impossibility. He also rolls, Judge Byrns said.
He also ordered the fund to indicated he could have or-dered the city to pay off the \$3.4 million over 40 years, but this, too, would have been "inequitable and unjust."

find and will retire the deficit' "so long as the city remains an

His order shows faith in the city and faith in its ability to "lick its problems," Judge

The city currently is paying the fund \$136,900 a year, \$68,000 of it from a one-mill tax and the balance from general funds. To could have ordered the city to order grossly higher city payments would result in an "unthinkable" cutting of police acknowledged that as a and-or firemen from employe

pay plaintiffs' counsel, the St. Joseph law firm of Ryan, McQuillan, VanderPloeg and Fette, \$7,500 for four years of The court-ordered payment legal work minus \$1,344.07 plan is the only "viable already chipped in by police alternative" Judge Byrns could and firemen.



DOUBLE BLOOM: Mrs. DeVon F. Selter, 417 Elm street, Watervliet, examines double bloom on a "bird of paradise" plant she grows on her back porch. Florists asked about the plant indicated the double bloom is an unusual phenomena. (Cliff Stevens photo)

H-P Good Fellow Fund Reaches Nearly \$5,000

...and as Tiny Tim would say, "God Bless everyone."

The 1972 Herald-Press Good Fellow fund reached \$4,968.31 which is probably the third highest total in the 40-year Good Fellow history.
Good Fellow bookkeepers are

too busy checking over last minute requests for help to spend researching past drive year's total will rank high in total giving.

The school kids had the final say today. First came \$10 from a young lady, Karen, and the only clue is that she's pretty as

Then came \$5 from Baroda elementary school.

Finally Corky Cook added \$5 in memory of Great Grandpop. Walt Sauerbier.

And that's why Tiny Tim could say: "God Bless Everyone."



CONTEST WINNERS: First place winners in safety poster contests at five Du-Well Metal Products facilities have been announced. Pictured with David Walton, Du-Well president, are winners, left to right, Kathy Cooper, 8, South Haven plant; Diana Shembarger, 6, Bangor administrative center; and Daniel Taylor, 9, Bangor plant. Not pictured are winners Vickie Anderson, 8, Dowagiac plant, and Robert Weaver, 12, Hartford plant. The contest was open to 5 to 15-year-old children of Du-Well employes. (Marguerite Smith photo)



HAROLD J. NEUMAN



WILLIAM U, NITZ

Bendix Moves Two Executives To New Posts

Harold J. Neuman has been has served in various to Frank E. Bremer, director of

Neuman replaces William L. Nitz who has joined the Buhr Machine Tool Corporation, a wholly-owned Bendix sub-

the Lakeshore board of education. He had been at the Hydraulies dvision since 1952 when it began operations here. Nitz, his wife. Marguerite, and daughter have moved to the Ann Arbor area.

joined Neuman Hydraulies division in 1953 and

appointed manager for manufacturing and tool engineering at Bendix Corporation's Hydraulics Division multi-of St. Leach according according assignment in Germany tor Bendix International for two months in 1970.

> Neuman, his wife, Clara, and daughter reside at 2242 Lynn drive, St. Joseph

sidiary in Ann Arbor. Nitz is a former president of Thieves Took Kitchen Sink

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) -Thieves who entered a home under renovation in uptown Atlanta took just two things: a roll of bathroom carpeting and ": the kitchen sink.

Appliance Makers Honor Elisha Gray

Elisha Gray II, retired Whirlpool board chairman, has been named an honorary member of the Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers (AHAM), the national trade organization of the appliance industry.

Honorary memberships are awarded to persons whose retirement from the appliance industry follows long and significant contributions to it.

Gray received an honorary membership concurrently with Roland E. Hauber, retired head of products research department, packaged soap and detergent division, Procter &

The memberships were conferred in Boston at the AHAM's National Home Appliance conference. Making the presentations was Juel M. Ranum, Whirlpool's vice president for corporate and public affairs who was conference chairman.

Gray retired from Whirlpool Sept. 30, 1971, after 33 years with the company.

Twin City YMCA Announces Free Holiday 'Learn To Swim' Program

A free "Learn to Swim" program will be held at the

Twin City YMCA during Christmas vacation.

Fifth and sixth graders, who are non-swimmers, are eligible. A parent or guardian must sign an application at the YMCA, 233 Michigan street, Benton Harbor. Physical Director Sam Anderson said classes will be at 2 and 2:30 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, Dec. 26-29. Classes will be limited to 25 and more classes will be added if necessary. Children should bring swim suits and towels. Caps are

mandatory for girls and long-haired boys. Registration deadline is Tuesday noon. ST. JOSEPH, MICH. SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1972

Yule Display **Attracts Lot** Of Attention

His Home Decorations Are Tradition Now In Buchanan

BY LYLE SUMERIX

South Berrien Burean
BUCHANAN — What started out 25 years ago as a simple display of outdoor Christmas decorations has now become a Christmas present to the community.

As result, the Harold Holmes residence, corner Third and Chippewa streets, is one of the most popular spots in town this

An almost constant stream of cars converge on the intersection in early evening hours, so their local and out-of-town occupants may marvel at the Christmas display.

The Holmes' display includes something for everyone. For the kiddies, there is Santa, his reindeer and sleigh full of gaily wrapped packages.

For those of all ages, there is the traditional scene, with the Christ child lying Nativity in a manger.

For everyone, there are the brightly decorated Christmas

trees, the star shining brightly from atop the television antenna tower, and the giant candles on the front steps. STARTED IN THE 1910'S

It all started in the late 1940's, when Holmes first decorated the tallest of two evergreen trees seen today in his side yard. In 1948, he purchased a live blue spruce for his daughter's first Christmas. That became the second object decorated.

In 1953, Holmes cut out and painted the Santa and reindeer figures. This was followed by the manger scene, for which he got siding from a 100-year-old barn to give the framing an

Figures for the Nativity scene consist of prints which he purchased and then cemented to treated plywood. Although the job of putting up the decorations is harder each year, it is a labor of love for Holmes. He takes a week's

vacation from his job as general foreman at Clark Equipment company, Buchanan, to put the decorations in place As long as I know people enjoy them, I'll keep putting them

DAUGHTER IS ASSISTANT

His daughter, Pat (Mrs. Terry Lolmaugh), has been a faithful assistant over the years. She helps him add a fresh coat of varnish or clear plastic to the figures each year. Every three years they sand the Santa and reindeer and repaint them.

Decorating the trees is the biggest job. Using wooden poles up to 22 feet in length, they string the trees so winter winds will not knock the lights off. They also use two long extension ladders and four step

ladders in their work. This year, Holmes added a custom made 20 foot aluminum step ladder.

Holmes said decorating the trees requires about two more

strings of lights each year, as they grow larger.

The showplace of Christmas decorations normally is finished in early December. This year, adverse weather delayed the project, which was completed last week.

Holmes said the smallest of the two trees, which stands

about 30 feet, took about 350 bulbs this year. He estimated he used about 900 bulbs in the entire dsiplay.

Because he loves to see outdoor decorations and his own

yard is full. Holmes has started making figures for his son-inlaw and daughter.
While the community is enjoying his "present", Holmes is



ABLAZE WITH LIGHTS: This three-dimensional Christmas display at the Harold Holmes residence in

The display includes the Nativity scene, Santa and his reindeer, star of Bethlehem, and two giant decorated trees. Strings of lights were still being added to the tree

at left when this picture was snapped last week. (Staff



HELPING GRANDPA: Little Eric Lolmaugh, 3, holds the reigns on Santa's reindeer as his grandfather, Harold Holmes secures them in place. Santa and his

reindeer are part of a Christmas display Holmes puts



A BIG JOB: Stringing lights on two large trees, standing 30 and 40 feet, is a major task each Christmas season for Harold Holmes and his daughter, Pat. This tree took about 350 buibs this year. Waiting to help grandpa is Eric, age 3.



NATIVITY FIGURES: Harold Holmes and his daughter, Pat, place wisemen in the Nativity scene he creeks each year in his yard. The printed figures were cemented to plywood and then cut out by Holmes. They are held in place by steel rods driven into

Watervliet Girl Helped In Rescue

year-old student nurse has been identified as one of the key rescue workers in the removal of six persons from the rubble of the smashed Elite bar in Watervliet Tuesday.

The rescuer was Mrs. Mark (Colleen) Copani, 18, of 812 Peach street, Watervliet, according to Bart Rose, Watervliet police chief.

Mrs. Cupani, a first year nursing student at Lake Michigan college, is the daughter of LL and Mrs. Edward Dill of the Coloma city police. Her husband is an imploye of Modern Plastics, building

"She did a whale of a job," Rose stated.

According to Mrs. Cupani, she was working across the street in Marion's Five & Dime store when the roof of the American Legion building collapsed, cascading bricks and other debris through the roof and ceiling of the neighboring Elite bar at 366 North

Before police and other rescue workers arrived, Mrs. Cupani said she and a man who had a first aid kit entered the wreckage.

According to Mrs. Cupani, they helped three of the six persons out.

Mrs, Cupani said she wanted to get the people out in case more of the two damaged buildings caved-in. She said she had told the man as they went

WATERVLIET - An 18- toward the rubble that she was a student nurse.

> The man has not been identified, Rose said. Firemen from both Water-

vlict and Coloma who arrived at the scene to help had a "lot of praise for Mrs. Cupani." Rose said. "She went in and stayed." Three of the six persons

injured in the collapse remain hospitalized. Two are listed in satisfactory condition and one in fair condition.

Authorities have said the collapse apparently was caused by the weight of ice and snow on the roof of the Legion



MRS. MARK CUPANI Helped in rescue

Crashes Kill 7

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS - night Monday, Dec. 25. Police say two persons killed

in a single accident early Saturday were among seven Mich. Dennis Melone, also 24, of Slerigan highway deaths marking the beginning of the four-day holiday count which began 6 p.m. Friday and runs to mid- head-on collision.

Sheriff deputies said Micheat Givens, 24, of Royal Oak and ling Heights, were killed on U.S. 31 near Frank Road in Grand Traverse County when H.P. Adv

LEGAL NOTICES

File No. 26165
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERR IEN
Estate of LOUISE LOCKWITZ, Deceased
IT IS ORDERED, that on January 23,
173 at 9:20 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, Number 303, Courthouse, St.
Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on
the Petition of Abert F. Lockwitz for
probate of a purported will, for appointment of Iductary, and for a determination of heirs.
Publication and service shall be made

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE

DATED: December 6, 1972
Alforney Thomas W. McCoy
Attorney for Pelitioner
ADDRESS: 409 Main Street
St. Joseph, Michigan,
Dec. 18, 23, 30, 1972
H.P. Adv.

File No. 25997 File No. 25997
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of HULDA JOHNSON, Deceased
IT 15 ORDERED, that on January 23,
1973 at 10:30 A.M. in the Probate Courfroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,
a hearing be held on the Petition of Julius
M. Reinking, executor for allowance of his

ve. blication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule.
(Seal) RONALDH, LANGE

Attorney A. G. Preston, Jr. Attorney for Estate ADDRESS: 600 Main Street Dec. 23, 30, 1972

> CITY OF ST. JOSEPH. MICHIGAN NOTICE TO BIDDERS FOR' CONSTRUCTION OF UPTON DRIVE

SANITARY SEWER The City of St. Joseph. Michigan, will receive scaled Proposals for the construction of the Upton Drive Sanitary Sewer until 2:00 P.M. (Eastern Time) on the 12th day of January, 1973, at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, St. Joseph, Michigan.

All Proposals received will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Council Chambers. City Hall, St. Joseph, at 2:00 P.M. (Eastern Time) on January 12, 1973.

The contract documents. plans specifications, are on file and available for inspection at the office of the City Clerk of the

City of St. Joseph, Michigan,

Copies of documents, inplans specifications, required for review or bidding purposes may be obtained only from the COMMISSION HELD AT THE Dec. 23, 1972

The U.S. Government open noticing for this adventure of the foreign of the desperad as a production of the production of the control of the c

The City of St. Joseph reserves the right to reject any or all Proposals and to waive any informalities or irregularities in the bids received and to accept any

City of St. Joseph. The successful bidder or bidders will be required to furnish as satisfactory Performance Bond and Labor and Material Bond in the sum of the

Proposal or Proposals which is

deemed most favorable to the

full amount of his contract. Each Proposal bidder or bidders will be required to furnish as satisfactory Pertormance Bond and Labor and Material Bond in the sum of the full amount of his contract.

Each Proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, or bank draft, drawn on a solvent bank, payable without condition to the City of St. Joseph, in an amount not less than five percent (5 per cent) of the bid as a guarantee that the bidder will within fifteen (15) days after the date of the award of contract execute an agreement and file bonds and insurance as required by the Contract Documents in his Proposal is accepted.

No bid may be withdrawn after the opening of Proposals without the consent of the City for a period of thirty (30) days after the scheduled time of closing bids.

general, the im provements on which proposals are requested will require the following construction:

The furnishing and installation of approximately 225 lineal feet of clay pipe sewer 15 inches in diameter and 52 lineal authorized to issue vouchers in feet in tunnel under railroad payment of the several including manholes and appurtenances

Plans and specification for this Project were prepared by Consoer, Townsend and Associates in Michigan, None, Motion declared carried Consulting Engineers.

Dated at St. Joseph, Michigan this 21st day of January, 1973. Charles J. Rhodes

Dec. 23, 26, 27, 1972 H.P. & N.P. and Adv.

MEETING OF THE CITY City Clerk

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File No. 26059
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of Anna Slavicek, Deceased
IT IS ORDEREO, that on January 23,
1973 at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom, No. 303, Courthouse, St. Joseph,
Alchigan, a hearing be held at which all
credifors of said deceased are required to
prove their claims, and Heirs will be
determined. Creditors must fille sworn
claims with the Court and serve a copy on
Rudy Bohm, Executor, 5565 Fairview, 11, 1972. PRESENT: SMITH COMMISSIONERS GAST, HANLEY, SELENT & TOBIAS. L.L. HILL, CITY MANAGER. A.G. PRESTON, JR., CITY ATTORNEY. hearing.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALOH, LANGE CHARLES J. DIRECTOR OF FINANCE.

Minutes of the meeting held December 4, 1972 were approved as presented.

Report of the vouchers to be allowed December 11, 1972 were presented as follows:

Bills are as follows: Commission Dir. of Law 28.95 Manager Dir. of Finance Retirement Sys. 1.714.48 Engineering 25.84 Pub. Hsg. Com. 479.95 Fire Dept. 102.09 Traffic 122.20 Cemetery 333.59 Municipal Bldgs 326.60 Sewers 231.36 Streets 1,302.76 Street Light 1,055.85 Water 2.876.80 Water Filt, Plt. 2,730.77 1.105.00 Inspection Garbage Rub. 475.80

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Mr. Tobias, seconded by Mr. Gast, moved approval of the foregoing report and that the Director of Finance be

amounts. Roll call resulted as follows: Yeas: Commissioners Gast, Hanley, Selent, Smith and Tobias. Nays: None. Absent:

There being no further business to come before this Commission, Mr. Selent moved to adjourn until Monday. City Clerk December 18, 1972.

Franklin H. Smith Mayor

Charles J. Rhodes

Benium rior Said hearing.
Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule.
(Seat) RONAL D.H. LANGE
Judge of Probate

DATED: Oecember 5, 1972 Attys: Locke, Parish & Ford By: Tat Prish Attorney for estate ADDRESS: 206 Court Street St, Joseph, Michigan Oec. 14, 23, 30, 1972

STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of ERNEST W. SCHROEDER, Deceased
IT IS ORDERED, that on March 6, 1973
at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom,

Avenue, St. Joseph, minimum.... hearing. Publication and service shall be made product and Court rule. as provided by Statute and Court rule.
(Seat) RONALDH. LANGE

DATED: December 17, 1972
Ryan, McQuillan, Vander Ploeg & Fette
By: Altorney David Vander Ploeg
Altorney for Estate
ADDRESS: 51, Joseph Savings & Loan
Building

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creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims and heirs will be delermined. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Reva E. Murphy, executrix, Box 206. Eau Claire, Michigan prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule.

(Seal) RONAL D.H. LANGE Judob of Probate

(Scall RONAL DH. LANGE Judgé of Probate DateD: December 11, 1972 Attorney Donald J. Dick Altorney for Estate ADDRESS: 300 West Ferry Street Berrien Springs, Michigan Dec. 23, 30, 1972, Jan. 6, 1973 H.P. Adv.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Vivian E. Blackburn, administratrix, 414 Main Streel, St. Joseph, Michigan prior to said dearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE Judge of Probate

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE
Judge of Probate
DATED: December 12, 1972
Killian. Spelman, Tagita.
Meek, Lagoni & Burdick
By: Attorney Stuart F. Meek, Jr.
Attorney for Estate
ADRESS: 414 Main Street
St. Joseph, Michigan
Dec. 23, 30, 1972,
Jan. 6, 1973
H.P. Adv.

Correction

The regular meeting of the Chikaming Township Board was held at the Lakeside fire station on Thursday, December

7, 1972 at 8:00 p.m. Additional Expense

Theresa Moomaw 30.00 Next regular meeting of the Board will be held on January 4, 1973, at the Lakeside fire station.

Lena Abrahamsen Dec. 23, 1972

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THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN Estate of JANICE SUE HURLEY. Deceased IT IS ORDERED, that on March 7, 1973 at 10:00 A.M. In the Probate Courtroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove the said acceased are required to prove file in claims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Christine Couch, administratirs, 1600 East Clay Street, New Buffalo, Michigan prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Slalule and Court rule.

(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE Judge of Probate DATED: December 17: 1972
Killian, Spelman, Taglia, Meek, Lagoni & Burdick By: Attorney Paul A. Taglia Altorney for Eslate ADDRESS: 414 Main Street St. Joseph, Michigan Dec. 23, 39, 1972
Jan. 6, 1973 H. P. Adv.

BERRIEN RUTH MARIE ELSWICK GREEN, Plaintiff.

VS. JOHNNY MICHAEL GREEN, Defen-

on November 30, 1972, an action was filed by Ruth Marie Elswick Green. Plaintillt, against Johnny Michael Green, Detendant, in this Court to obtain an absolute divorce.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Johnny Michael Green, shall in this Court answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before January 30, 1973. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against such Defendant for the relief demanded in the comptaint filed in this Court.

WILLIAMS, WHITE Circuit Judge, James K. Jesse Plaintiff's Attorney, Nor North Red Bud Trail Buchanan, Michigan 49107 REAL ESTATE Business Address aber 1, 1972

Busin Dale of Order: December 3, Dec. 16, 23, 39, 1977 Jan. 6, 1973 H.P. Adv

ORDER TO ANSWER

STATE OF MICHIGAN

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Circuit Court for the County of
BERRIEN

MICHAEL GEORGE DOUGAN, Plaintiff.

KATHY JO DOUGAN, Defendant, On December 1, 1972, an actio

KATHY JO DOUGAN, Detendant, On December 1, 1972, an action was filed by Michael George Dougan, Plaintitt, against Kathy Jo Dougan, Plaintitt, against Kathy Jo Dougan, Detendant, in this Court to obtain an absolute divorce.

It is hereby ordered that the Detendant, Kathy Jo Dougan, shall in this Court answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law in a judgment by default against such Defendants for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

109 North Red Bud Trail Buchanan, Michigan 49107

Business Address.

Date of Order: December 5, 1972

Dec. 16, 23, 30, 1972

H.P. Adv.

File No. 26167 STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT FOR

PROBATE COURT FOR
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PROBATE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estated VIRGINIA FREUND, Deceased
17 IS ORDERED, that on January 16,
1973 at 9;30 A.M. in the Probate Courfroom, Number 303, Courthouse, 51,
Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held on
the Petition of Raymond M. Dumke for
probate of a purported will and codicil, for
appointment of liduciary, and for a
determination of heirs.
Publication and service shall be made
as provided by Statute and Court rule.
(Seal) RONALD H. LANGE
Judge of Probate
DATED: December 8, 1972

DATED: December 8, 1972

DATED: Occember 8, 1977
Attorney Myron H. Wolcott
Attorney for Pelitioner
ADDRESS: Peoples State Bank Building
St. Joseph, Michigan
Dec. 16, 23, 30, 1977
H. P. Adv.

File No. 26020

STATE OF MICHIGAN

STALE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of RENO CHIMENTI, Deceased
IT IS ORDERED, that on February 14,
1973 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courfroom, Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan,
a hear-on be held at which all creditors of a hear-on be field at which all creditors of Said deceased are required to drow the claims. Creditors must lite sworn claims with the court and serve a copy on Joan C. Tammons, administrating with Will an Inxed, Room 2, Savinos & Loan Building, St. Joseph, Michigan prior to said hear-inc.

Publication and service shall be made

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule. (Seat) RONALD H, LANGE Judge of Probate DATED: November 28, 1977 FINNEY AND COOK By: Afterney Patrick Kinney Afterney for Estate ADDRESS: St. Joseph Savings & Loan Building

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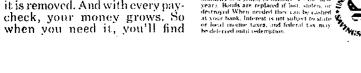
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File No.D-6154-W
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File No. 25890
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PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of Rose D. Boyer, Deceased
17 IS ORDERED, that on January 16,
1973 at 9:30 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom. No. 305, Courthouse, St. Joseph,
Michigan, a hearing will be held on the
Petition of Cloyd H. Tribbett for probate
of a purported with therefolore admitted to
probate in the State of Illinois, and appointment of Fiduciary and for the
determination of heirs. pointment of Fiduciary and for the determination of heirs.
Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court rule.
(Seat) RONALDH.LANGE
Judge of Probate
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Judge of Probate
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of James E. Graham. Deceased
11 IS ORDERED, that on February 13.
1973 at 915 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom. No. 503, Courthouse, St. Joseph

claims with the Court and serve a copy or claims with the Court and serve a copy on First Narional Bank of Southwestern Michigan, Administrator with Will an inseed, 210 East Main Street. Nites, Michigan 49120, prior to said hearing. Publication and service shall be made as provided by Shatute and Court role. (Seal) RONALD H. LANGE Judgeof Probate DATED: November 30, 1977 Atty: Donald J. Dick.

DATED: November 2... Afty: Donald J. Dick Aftorney for Petitioner ADDRESS: 300 West Ferry Street Berrien Springs, Michigan 49103 Berrien Springs, Michigan 49103 H.P. Adv. File No. 25949
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of Frank Humphrey, Deceased
IT IS ORDERED, that on February 21.
1973 at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtoom, Courthouse, 51, Joseph, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said deceased are required to prove their chaims. Creditors must file sworn claims with the Court and serve a copy on Lula Knight, Ardinistratrix, 74 Pearl Street, Benton Harbort, Michigan, 49022 prior to said hearing.

H.P. Adv.

PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estate of MELVIN M. MURPHY, Deceased
IT IS ORDERED, that on March 6, 1973
at 9:15 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom,
Number 303. Courthouse, 5!. Joseph,
Michigan, a hearing be held at Which all
creditors of said deceased are required to

File No. 26077 STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
Estae of MARY C. MCALOON, Deceased
17 IS ORDERED, that on March 7, 1973
at 10:00 A.M. in the Probate Courtroom,
Courthouse, St. Joseph, Michigan, a
hearing be held at which all creditors of

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